

Modelica extension for PDE

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Space & coordinates

What should be specified

- Dimension of the problem (1,2 or 3D)
- ?? Coordinates (cartesian, cylindrical, spherical ...) – where this information will be used (if at all):
 - in differential operators as grad, div, rot etc.
 - in visualization of results
 - ?? in computation – perhaps equations should be transformed and the calculation would be performed in cartesian coordinates
- Names of independent (coordinate) variables ($x, y, z, r, \varphi, \theta \dots$)

Perhaps all these should be specified within the domain definition.

Dimension can be inferred from number of return values of shape-function or different properties of the domain in other cases.

The base coordinates would be cartesian and they would be always implicitly defined in any domain. Besides that other coordinate systems could be defined also.

Names of independent variables in cartesian coordinates should be fixed $x, (x,y), (x,y,z)$ in 1D, 2D and 3D domains respectively.

Domain & boundary

What should be specified

- the domain where we perform the computation and where equations hold
- boundary and its subsets where particular boundary conditions hold
- normal vector of the boundary

Possible approaches

Parametrization of the domain with shape function and ranges – from The Book (Principles of ...), section 8.5.2

Example from the book:

```
model HeatCircular2D
    import DifferentialOperators2D.*;
    parameter DomainCircular2DGrid omega;
    FieldCircular2DGrid u(domain=omega, FieldValueType=SI.Temperature);
equation
    der (u) = pder (u,D.x2)+ pder (u,D . y 2 )      in omega.interior;
    nder(u) = 0                                     in omega.boundary;
```

```

end HeatCircular2D;

record DomainCircular2DGrid "Domain being a circular region"
  parameter Real radius = 1;
  parameter Integer nx = 100;
  parameter Integer ny = 100;
  replaceable function shapeFunc = circular2Dfunc "2D circular region";
  DomainGe2D interior (shape=shapeFunc, range={{O, radius},{O,1}}, geom= ... );
  DomainGe2D boundary (shape=shapeFunc, range={{radius, radius}, {0,1}}, geom=);
  function shapeFunc = circular2Dfunc "Function spanning circular region";
end DomainCircular2DGrid;

function circular2Dfunc "Spanned circular region for v in range 0..1"
  input Real r,v;
  output Real x,y;
algorithm
  x := r*cos (2*PI*v);
  y := r*sin (2*PI*v);
end circular2Dfunc;

record FieldCircular2DGrid
  parameter DomainCircular2DGrid domain;
  replaceable type FieldValueType = Real;
  replaceable type FieldType = Real[domain.nx, domain.ny, domain.nz];
  parameter FieldType start = zeros(domain.nx, domain.ny, domain.nz.);
  FieldType Val;
end FieldCircularZDGrid;

```

And modified version, where all numerical stuff (grid, number of points – this should be configured using simulation setup or annotations) omitted, modified **pder** operator, **Field** as Modelica build-in type:

```

model HeatCircular2D
  parameter DomainCircular2D omega;
  Field Real u(domain=omega, start = 0, FieldValueType=SI.Temperature);
equation
  pder(u,time) = pder(u,x)+ pder(u,y) in omega.interior;
  pder(u,omega.boundary.n)= 0 in omega.boundary;
end HeatCircular2D;

record DomainCircular2D "Domain being a circular region"
  parameter Real radius = 1;
  function shapeFunc = circular2Dfunc "Function spanning circular region";
  DomainGe2D interior (shape=shapeFunc, range={{O, radius},{O,1}});
  DomainGe2D boundary (shape=shapeFunc, range={{radius, radius}, {0,1}});
end DomainCircular2D;

```

```

function circular2Dfunc "Spanned circular region for v in range 0..1"
  input Real r,v;
  output Real x,y;
algorithm
  x := r*cos (2*PI*v);
  y := r*sin(2*PI*v);
end circular2Dfunc;

```

Description by the boundary Domain is defined by closed boundary curve, which may be composed of several connected curves. Needs new operator *interior* and type *Domain2d* (and *Domain1D* and *Domain3d*). (similarly used in FlexPDE – <http://www.pdesolutions.com/>.)

```

package BoundaryRepresentation
partial function cur
  input Real u;
  output Real x;
  output Real y;
end cur;
function arc
  extends cur;
  parameter Real r;
  parameter Real cx;
  parameter Real cy;
algorithm
  x:=cx + r * cos(u);
  y:=cy + r * sin(u);
end arc;
function line
  extends cur;
  parameter Real x1;
  parameter Real y1;
  parameter Real x2;
  parameter Real y2;
algorithm
  x:=x1 + (x2 - x1) * u;
  y:=y1 + (y2 - y1) * u;
end line;
function bezier3
  extends cur;
  //start-point
  parameter Real x1;
  parameter Real y1;
  //end-point
  parameter Real x2;
  parameter Real y2;
  //start-control-point

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    parameter Real cx1;
    parameter Real cy1;
    //end-control-point
    parameter Real cx2;
    parameter Real cy2;
algorithm
    x:=(1 - u) ^ 3 * x1 + 3 * (1 - u) ^ 2 * u * cx1 + 3 * (1 - u) * u ^ 2 * cx2 + u
        ^ 3 * x2;
    y:=(1 - u) ^ 3 * y1 + 3 * (1 - u) ^ 2 * u * cy1 + 3 * (1 - u) * u ^ 2 * cy2 + u
        ^ 3 * y2;
end bezier3;
record Curve
    function curveFun = line;
    // to be replaced with another fun
    parameter Real uStart;
    parameter Real uEnd;
end Curve;
record Boundary
    constant Integer NCurves;
    Curve curves[NCurves];
    // for i in 1:(NCurves-1) loop
    //assert(Curve[i].curveFun(Curve[i].uEnd) = Curve[i+1].curveFun(Curve[i+1].
        uStart), String(i)+"th curve and "+String(i+1)+"th curve are not connected
        .", level = AssertionLevel.error);
    // end for;
    // assert(curves[NCurves].curveFun(curves[NCurves].uEnd) =
    // curves[1].curveFun(curves
        [1].uStart),
    // String(NCurves)+"th curve
        and first curve are not connected.",
    // level = AssertionLevel.
        error);
end Boundary;
record DomainHalfCircle
    constant Real pi = Modelica.Constants.pi;
    arc myArcFun(cx = 0, cy = 0, r = 1);
    Curve myArc(curveFun = myArcFun, uStart = pi / 2, uEnd = (pi * 3) / 2);
    line myLineFun(x1 = 0, y1 = -1, x2 = 0, y2 = 1);
    Curve myLine(curveFun = myLineFun, uStart = 0, uEnd = 1);
    line myLine2(curveFun = line(x1 = 0, y1 = -1, x2 = 0, y2 = 1), uStart = pi / 2,
        uEnd = (pi * 3) / 2);
    Boundary b(NCurves = 2, curves = {myArc, myLine});
    //new externally defined type Domain2D and operator interior:
    Domain2D d = interior Boundary;
end DomainHalfCircle;
end BoundaryRepresentation;

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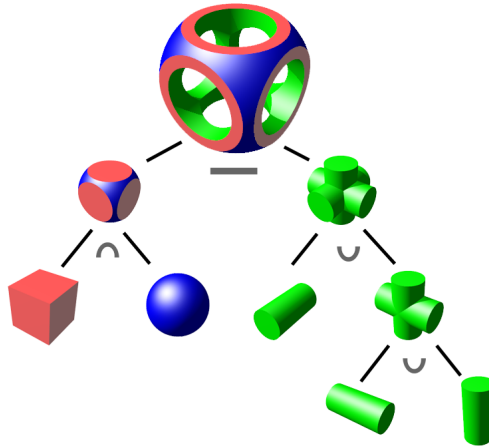


Figure 1: constructive solid geometry

Constructive solid geometry used in Matlab PDE toolbox, http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Constructive_solid_geometry

Domain is build from primitives (cuboids, cylinders, spheres, cones, user defined shapes ...) applying boolean operations *union*, *intersection* and *difference*.

How to describe boundaries?

Listing of points – export from CAD

Inequalities

Boundary representation (BRep) (NETGEN, STEP)

Fields

Partial derivative

$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y}$... `pder(u,x,y)`
directional derivative ... `pder(u,omega.boundary.n)`

Equations & boundary conditions

Use the *in* operator to express where equations hold.